

OGC HAS REVIEWED.

Chief of Logistics

10 December 1954

Assistant General Counsel

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Covert Purchases from [REDACTED] and Company

1. As you requested, we have considered various methods of avoiding the potential conflict of interest problem which would be created by the participation of the Chief of the Procurement Division in contractual or other arrangements with [REDACTED] and Company. We have reached the conclusion that the most practical solution would be for you to relieve the Chief of the Procurement Division from any responsibility in this regard, and direct the responsible officer not to consult with the Chief of the Procurement Division on this matter, but to refer any questions requiring decision by higher authority to you for resolution. Such an arrangement would be in our opinion legally correct and we have therefore prepared such a memorandum for your signature.

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